



December 1st, 2008

Mr. Robert A. Morin
 Secretary General
 Canadian Radio-television and
 Telecommunications Commission
 Ottawa, Ontario
 K1A 0N2

**Re: Fido Solutions Inc. ("Fido") - Entry as a Competitive Local Exchange
 Carrier ("CLEC") into various LIRs in Ontario, Quebec and British Columbia**

Dear Mr. Morin,

In accordance with the procedures set out at paragraph 295 of Telecom Decision CRTC 97-8 ("Decision 97-8"), Fido is hereby confirming that it has met or will soon meet all of the obligations required to offer local services as a CLEC to consumers in the following Ontario, Quebec and British Columbia ("BC") exchanges:

Bell Territory		
Exchange	Prov	LIR
BEAMSVILLE	ON	ST CATHARINES - ON32
CAYUGA		
FISHERVILLE		
NIAGARA FALLS		
NIAGARA ON THE LAKE		
PELHAM		
PORT COLBOURNE		
PORT ROBINSON		
RIDGEWAY		
SELKIRK		
STEVENSVILLE		
VINELAND		
ALFRED	ON	OTTAWA - ON05
ALMONTE		
ARNPRIOR		
BOURGET		
CARP		
CASSELMAN		
CHESTERVILLE		
CLARENCE CREEK		
CONSTANCE BAY		
CRYSLER		

CUMBERLAND	ON	OTTAWA - ON05
EMBRUN		
GLOUCESTER		
JOCKVALE		
KANATA-STITTSVILLE		
KEMPTVILLE		
MANOTICK		
MERRICKVILLE		
METCALFE		
NAVAN		
NORTH GOWER		
ORLEANS		
OSGOODE		
PAKENHAM		
PLANTAGENET		
RICHMOND		
ROCKLAND		
RUSSELL		
SOUTH MOUNTAIN		
WINCHESTER		
BARRIE	ON	BARRIE - ON41
LA MALBAIE	QC	LA MALBAIE - PQ28
LAC MEGANTIC	QC	SHERBROOKE - PQ24
Telus Territory		
Exchange	Prov	LIR
CLOVERDALE	BC	VANCOUVER
FORT LANGLEY		
HANEY		
LADNER		
LANGLEY		
PITT MEADOWS		
WEST VANCOUVER		
WHITE ROCK		
WHONNOCK		
BOSTON BAR		
BRITANNIA BEACH		
ST-RAYMOND-DE-PORTNEUF	QC - TCC	DONNACONA

Fido's CLEC network deployment in these exchanges will be done under the new Local Interconnection Region (LIR) regime. Fido is currently operating as a CLEC in the St Catharines (ON32), Ottawa (ON05), Sherbrooke (PQ24), Vancouver and Donnacona LIRs. Adding new CLEC exchanges to these deployed LIRs represents a fairly straightforward exercise for Fido, Bell Canada ("Bell") and TELUS Communications Company ("Telus").

For other new LIRs, the Fido's CLEC roll-out will be staggered throughout the year 2009. With respect to the specific in-service dates, Fido is proposing to continue to send to CRTC staff (Ms. Caritas Mulunge) regular quarterly updates identifying which exchanges were opened and when.

Previous CRTC's approval

In letters dated September 13, 2001 and October 12, 2001, Fido outlined in detail all of the CLEC entry obligations from Decision 97-8 and specified how it intended to meet these obligations in Calgary (Alberta), Vancouver (British Columbia) and other exchanges within these two Provinces. In letters dated September 21, 2001 and November 5, 2001, respectively, the Commission recognized that Fido had met the CLEC requirements set out in Decision 97-8 and authorized Fido to provide services as a CLEC in these exchanges.

In letters dated March 26, 2002 and June 4, 2002, Fido outlined in detail all of the CLEC entry obligations from Decision 97-8 and specified how it intended to meet these obligations in Toronto (Ontario) and Montreal (Quebec). In letters dated April 11, 2002 and June 7, 2002, respectively, the Commission recognized that Fido had met the CLEC requirements set out in Decision 97-8 and authorized Fido to provide services as a CLEC in these two exchanges within Bell Canada territory.

Fido is now operating as a CLEC in 180 exchanges in the Provinces of Alberta, British Columbia, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec.

Fido hereby re-attests that it understands and will conform to the CLEC obligations set out in Decision 97-8. Fido is providing herein only the incremental information required for entry into the above-mentioned Ontario, Quebec and BC exchanges. For further details (e.g. Customer privacy; or Information to customers) respecting our compliance with CLEC obligations generally, please refer to Fido's letters to the Commission that are referenced above.

New NXXs

As permitted by the Commission in Telecom Decision 2007-23 (dated April 12, 2007), entitled "*Rogers Wireless Partnership Part VII application regarding the requirement for a central office code in each served exchange*", Fido will not be ordering one new NXX for each of the exchanges that are listed above.

Paragraph #72 of this Decision says:

"the Commission determines that the CLEC obligation to obtain a CO code for every served exchange for the purpose of assigning LRNs and call routing is now optional rather than mandatory. It also determines that CLECs must acquire at least a

single CO code and assign a single LRN per LIR in which they provide local service, rather than per ILEC exchange. (emphasis added)

As mentioned above, Fido is currently operating as a CLEC in the St Catharines, Ottawa, Sherbrooke, Vancouver and Donnacona LIRs. Where possible, Fido will continue to utilize one LRN per LIR.

CLEC General Tariff

On November 4, 2002, as amended on January 31, 2003, Fido filed its proposed General Tariff setting out the rates, terms and conditions for the provision of interconnection services to other telecommunications service providers, consistent with the Commission's directive at paragraph 26 of Telecom Decision CRTC 2002-54, *Model tariff for the interconnection services of competitive local exchange carriers*.

In Telecom Order CRTC 2003-102, the Commission approved the terms and conditions of Fido's General Tariff. On August 29, 2008, Fido filed its revised CLEC Tariff pages (Tariff Notice No. 16), based on the CLEC Model Tariff version #30 (as per CRTC Letter dated July 29, 2008). In Telecom Order CRTC 2008-280 (dated September 29, 2008), the Commission approved on an interim basis, effective June 1, 2008, all of the rates contained in Fido's General Tariff.

Interconnection Agreements

Fido has filed with the Commission, and has received Commission approval for, a series of interconnection agreements between itself and other CLECs operating in Ontario, Quebec and BC. All of these agreements have been drafted generically so as to apply to all of Canada.

Fido and Telus have executed a Master Agreement for Local Interconnection ("MALI"), version #28, dated September 15, 2006 (see Telecom Orders 2007-58; 2007-62; and 2007-84) for the purpose of exchanging traffic in various LIRs in BC, Alberta and Quebec (including Appendices for the Vancouver and Donnacona LIRs). Therefore, no new Appendices to the existing Schedule C are required.

Fido and Bell have executed a MALI, dated March 20th, 2002. Both Parties are currently drafting a revised Schedule C.1 which reflects our new LIR-based interconnections in Ontario and Quebec. New Appendices to this Schedule C.1, describing the direct interconnections into the above-mentioned Bell LIRs, will be added. This Schedule C.1 and associated Appendices shall be filed shortly with the Commission

E9-1-1 Service Deployment

Fido has completed implementation of Wireless E9-1-1 service in most of the Ontario, Quebec and BC exchanges mentioned in this letter.

In a letter dated May 9, 2007, Fido described to the Commission how it currently offers basic 9-1-1 services in certain areas. In this said letter, Fido further confirmed that it meets the

criteria set out in Telecom Decision CRTC 2003-53, as clarified by the Commission's letter dated February 1, 2007 ("*Provision of Wireless 9-1-1 Service in Saskatchewan*"). In a second Commission's letter (dated July 20, 2007) addressed to Ms. Dawn Hunt, VP - Regulatory at Rogers Wireless, Commission staff confirmed that Fido can operate as a CLEC while offering basic 9-1-1 services.

Fido notes that E9-1-1 is not offered in the Telus-Quebec LIR that is listed above. In these areas, Fido confirms that it provides basic 9-1-1 services, or the emergency services equivalent to those offered by Telus, including where basic and dialable 9-1-1 is not offered by municipalities. Fido will complete implementation of wireless E9-1-1 service as soon as this service is made available in these areas.

Conclusion

In accordance with sub-paragraph 295(2) of Decision 97-8, Fido has served a copy of this letter on LECs who provide services in Ontario, Quebec and BC. Fido has also served a copy of this letter on the parties listed in the most recent version of the "Proposed CLEC List", as it appeared on the Commission's web site on December 1st, 2008.

Fido is providing a copy of this letter to the Central Funds Administrator ("CFA") and to the three industry consortia identified below.

We trust the enclosed conforms to the Commission's entry procedures and provides assurance that Fido has met the obligations required to provide service as a CLEC in these Ontario, Quebec and BC exchanges.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter or any of the referenced documents, please do not hesitate to contact us. Trusting the whole is satisfactory we remain,

Yours very truly,



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